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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

1. This memorandum is for information only.

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2. Personnel telephoned on Sunday, 17 February 1963, to report the death of from natural causes. He was serving in the Southern United States. He died in his apartment, apparently of heart disease.

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- 3. Personnel also reported the death of the Office of the Director of Security, in Doctor's Hospital, Washington, D. C. He had undergone an appendectomy, pheumonia developed, and he died. He had been with the Agency since 1951; he was 55 years old. He was an overt employee. The family will handle the death announcements with the newspapers.
- 4. Allen W. Dulles telephoned me at home on Sunday afternoon and said he was out to lunch and had received a copy of the Press release by the Encyclopaedia Britannica giving to the Press excerpts from "The Craft of Intelligence" which will appear in the 1963 Enclyclopaedia Book of the Year. He said he regretted that the disclamor which stated that the Agency had nothing to do with this had not been included in the copy, but he expects it will appear later. Mr. Dulles said he would furnish a copy to me, and I told him I would send a messenger for it on Monday, 18 February 1963.

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